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Applicant : K. FUJIMOTO
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Title : STORAGE SYSTEM, A METHOD OF FILE DATA BACKUP
AND A METHOD OF COPYING OF FILE DATA
TC/AU : 2161
Examiner : E.P. Leroux
Docket No. : H-1190
Customer No.: 24956

Commissioner for Patents
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**REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF
PREVIOUSLY FILED AMENDMENT**

Sir:

A review of the PAIR system of the Patent Office on September 29, 2005 indicates that Applicants' Amendment filed September 12, 2005 may have been lost by the Patent Office since there is no record of it on the PAIR system. Therefore, a copy of the amendment submitted on September 12, 2005 is be submitted once again along with the mailroom date-stamped receipt indicating that it was received by the Patent Office on that date.

Applicants request that this document be entered and forwarded to the Examiner for examination.

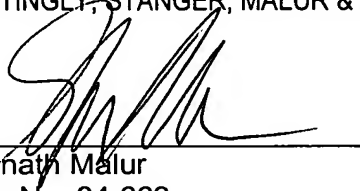
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1417 for any additional fees or overpayments that are deemed necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

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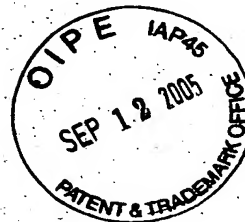
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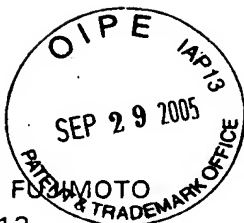
Papers Filed Herewith:

Transmittal Letter;
AMENDMENT.



Receipt is hereby acknowledged of the papers filed, as identified in
connection with the above-identified patent application.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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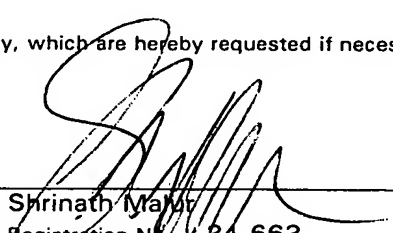
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ Any Extension of Time fees that are necessary, which are hereby requested if necessary.

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